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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 24th Saturday in 1909 (12th June 1909).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1909: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	17	...	...	12	30	...	...	...	...				
	„ City & Taluk ...	...	6	1	14	12	77	9	68	+ 3	9		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
	Hoskote ...	...	...	...	50	11	51	8	32	+ 3	19				
	Dodballapur ...	...	...	...	24	10	74	7	34	+ 3	40	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·88
	Nelamangala ...	...	...	...	61	12	13	7	46	+ 5	67		Rangoon		
	Kankanhalli ...	...	8	...	59	9	15	9	95	— 0	80	Ragi	11·25	11·25	19·20
	Magadi ...	...	34	...	55	7	60	7	69	— 0	9	Kulthi	8·75	8·75	...
	Channapatna ...	...	48	...	57	10	7	9	75	+ 0	32	Kadale	8·00	8·00	10·21
	Anekal ...	...	9	1	4	10	38	10	74	— 0	36				
	Devanhalli ...	...	9	...	49	8	51	8	70	— 0	19				
	Closepet ...	...	26	...	60	7	99	10	8	— 2	9				
	District average...	...	14	...	63	10	9	8	97	+ 1	12				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	...	...	35	13	3	6	49	+ 6	54				
	Bowringpet ...	...	...	...	22	12	68	6	58	+ 6	10				
	Chintamani ...	...	...	...	60	9	48	6	6	+ 3	42				
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	36	11	92	6	52	+ 5	40	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	8·92
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	...	47	11	99	7	3	+ 4	96				
	Chikballapur ...	...	...	...	55	8	67	8	39	+ 0	28	Ragi	11·00	11·00	21·00
	Bagepalli ...	...	20	...	94	5	82	4	56	+ 1	26	Kulthi	8·50	8·50	...
	Goribidnur ...	...	50	...	66	10	59	5	95	+ 4	64	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·30
	Malur ...	...	...	...	60	10	59	7	31	+ 3	28				
	Srinivaspur ...	...	...	...	37	12	12	6	52	+ 5	60				
	Gudibanda ...	...	73	1	4	10	53	6	44	+ 4	9				
	District average...	...	13	...	56	10	67	6	53	+ 4	14				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	...	8	...	52	7	85	7	6	+ 0	79				
	Maddagiri ...	...	47	...	67	7	88	5	39	+ 2	49				
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	11	...	37	9	97	6	99	+ 2	98				
	Sira ...	...	18	...	59	9	17	4	94	+ 4	23	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·97
	Gubbi ...	...	...	...	77	12	71	6	74	+ 5	97				
	Tiptur ...	...	45	...	34	8	86	7	32	+ 1	54	Ragi	11·00	11·00	24·40
	Pavagada ...	...	10	1	...	6	63	4	62	+ 2	1	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
	Kunigal ...	...	22	...	73	8	64	7	6	+ 1	58	Kadale	7·00	7·00	9·17
	Koratagere ...	...	24	...	69	10	93	5	88	+ 5	5				
	Turuvekere ...	...	10	...	48	11	16	6	84	+ 4	32				
	District average...	...	20	...	62	9	38	6	28	+ 3	10				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1909							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average.
MYSORE.												Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
Mysore ...	...	32	...	94	16	3	10	45	+ 5	58	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·81
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	30	12	47	10	9	+ 2	38				
Seringapatam ...	...	31	...	32	18	8	8	44	+ 9	64				
Hunsur ...	...	83	...	69	15	60	9	...	+ 6	60				
Yedatore ...	...	63	...	40	11	29	10	28	+ 1	1	Ragi	11·50	11·50	19·03
Heggaddevankote ...	1	71	...	45	18	25	10	4	+ 8	21	Kulthi	9·50	9·50	...
Gundlupet ...	...	65	...	46	14	...	8	65	+ 5	35	Kadale	7·00	7·00	10·42
Nanjangud ...	...	36	...	59	11	51	9	41	+ 2	10				
T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	74	9	69	9	44	+ 0	25				
Malvalli ...	...	7	...	44	12	48	7	55	+ 4	93				
Mandya ...	...	22	...	48	18	17	9	5	+ 9	12				
Krishnarajpete ...	...	49	...	54	13	42	8	88	+ 4	54				
Nagamangala ...	...	12	...	34	12	58	7	90	+ 4	68				
District average...	...	44	...	52	14	12	9	17	+ 4	95				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	1	66	1	56	11	98	9	58	+ 2	40				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	13	11	5	20	24	66	13	51	+11	15	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·96
Arkalgud ...	2	10	...	79	10	65	8	77	+ 1	88				
Belur ...	3	65	1	99	16	52	10	43	+ 6	9	Ragi	12·00	11·50	22·16
Channarayapatna ...	...	78	...	54	14	7	7	47	+ 6	60	Kulthi	8·00	8·50	...
Arsikere ...	...	54	...	50	12	27	7	42	+ 4	85	Kadale	6·50	7·50	9·85
Hole-Narsipur ...	1	3	...	67	10	43	9	10	+ 1	33				
Alur ...	3	39	1	83	15	60	10	29	+ 5	31				
District average...	3	28	1	63	14	52	9	57	+ 4	95				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	6	29	1	68	17	85	7	93	+ 9	92				
Channagiri ...	2	47	...	98	8	12	6	87	+ 1	25	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	10·96
Honnali ...	3	81	...	47	9	9	6	86	+ 2	23				
Shikarpur ...	13	26	1	58	21	23	7	28	+13	95	Ragi	11·00	11·50	24·96
Sorab ...	9	56	3	49	16	18	7	33	+ 8	85	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Sagar ...	46	3	4	78	54	18	10	3	+44	15				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	34	10	7	16	41	11	11	35	+29	56				
Tirthahalli ...	50	46	6	23	57	35	11	72	+45	63				
Kumsi ...	10	14	2	36	19	18	8	50	+10	68				
District average...	19	57	3	19	27	14	8	67	+18	47				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	4	8	1	4	20	55	9	58	+10	97				
Kadur ...	3	93	...	73	12	87	6	53	+ 6	34	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·50	9·55
Tarikere ...	1	99	...	59	9	89	7	15	+ 2	74				
Koppa ...	12	60	2	42	23	71	8	82	+14	89	Ragi	11·00	10·00	21·50
Mudgere ...	14	35	2	90	28	93	11	53	+17	40	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Yedahalli ...	9	47	1	7	21	59	7	83	+13	76	Kadale	7·25	7·50	9·42
Sringeri ...	18	31	3	24	30	25	9	60	+20	65				
District average...	9	25	1	71	21	11	8	72	+12	39				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	...	69	1	29	8	69	5	85	+ 2	84				
Challakere ...	...	...	1	24	4	95	4	39	+ 0	56	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·80
Hiriyur ...	...	12	1	4	12	36	6	6	+ 6	30				
Holalkere ...	1	3	1	2	9	65	7	14	+ 2	51	Ragi	12·50	12·00	23·20
Davangere ...	1	15	1	3	4	29	6	97	— 2	58	Kulthi	9·00	9·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	3	40	...	84	9	62	5	75	+ 3	87	Kadale	6·50	6·50	10·00
Jagalur ...	...	85	...	79	8	70	6	75	+ 1	95	Cholum	12·50	12·00	21·10
Hosdurga ...	...	97	...	65	10	36	5	76	+ 4	60				
Harihar ...	...	46	1	2	3	67	5	89	— 2	22				
District average...	...	96	...	99	8	3	6	6	+ 1	97				
Provincial average...	4	25	1	23	14	38	8	...	+ 6	38				

Note—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·2	6 to 6¼	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	17·9	11 to 11½	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, 7¾ seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market generally well supplied

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is being continued in most parts of the district and manure is being collected.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane is reported to be in good condition in the Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks, in moderate condition in the Devanhalli Taluk, and to be withering away in the Nelamangala Taluk for want of rain Ragi in the Hoskote Taluk; punaji paddy in the Nelamangala and Dodballapur Taluks; jola in the Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks are also reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Punaji paddy in parts of the Hoskote, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and Kartika paddy, jola and ragi in parts of the Hoskote Taluk are reported to have been sown.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good in the Hoskote, Magadi and Anekal Taluks, moderate in the Bangalore and Nelamangala Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk and hopeful in the Channapatna Taluk. Want of rain is felt throughout the district. Scarcity continues to prevail in some parts of the Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks

Number of persons employed in tank and well works.—Hoskote—12; Dodballapur—91; Nelamangala—47; Magadi—50 and Devanhalli—46.

Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.—Three hundred and fifty-seven in the Bangalore Taluk; 20 in the Dodballapur Taluk and 16 in the Nelamangala Taluk.

Prices of food stuffs continue to be high.

11. Except for small-pox, measles and cholera in some parts of the Hoskote Taluk and small-pox in some parts of the Magadi and Anekal Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health generally good.

12. "Neradi Roga" in parts of the Anekal Taluk, "Dod Roga" and "Galisake Roga" in parts of the Hoskote Taluk and "Dod Roga" in parts of the Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to prevail among cattle. Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is being continued all over the district.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks; haraka in parts of the Sidlaghatta and Srinivaspur Taluks; ragi in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; same in parts of the Srinivaspur Taluk and ground-nuts in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk.